

14-21-B. Agreements with Other Federal Agencies

1. AUTHORITY. Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, as amended (CERCLA), to enter into an agreement with the head of the department, agency or instrumentality for completion by such department, agency, or instrumentality of all necessary remedial actions at the Federal facility under section 120(e)(2).
2. TO WHOM DELEGATED. To the Deputy Regional Administrator.
3. LIMITATIONS.
 - a. Where the Remedy Delegation Report, issued periodically by the Assistant Administrator for Solid Waste and Emergency Response, authorizes remedy selection by the Regional Administrators, the Regional Administrator or delegatee must consult with the Assistant Administrator for Enforcement or delegatee prior to entering into an agreement; and
 - b. Where the Remedy Delegation Report does not authorize remedy selection by the Regional Administrators, the Regional Administrator or delegatee must obtain the advance concurrence of the Assistant Administrator for Enforcement or delegatee prior to entering into an agreement.
 - c. The Deputy Regional Administrator must consult with the Regional Counsel, or designee, prior to exercising this authority.
4. REDELEGATION AUTHORITY. These authorities may not be redelegated.
5. ADDITIONAL REFERENCES.
 - a. Section 120 of CERCLA;
 - b. EPA Delegation 1-11, *Interagency Agreements*;

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- c. EPA Delegation of Authority 14-21-B, *Agreements with Other Federal Agencies*;
- d. EPA Interagency Agreement Policy Procedures Compendium, Office of Grants and Debarment, OARM.